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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Reyzin et al.

Serial No.: 10/646,505 Group Art Unit: 3753

Filed: 08/22/2003 Examiner: Flanigan, Allen

Title: COOLING ASSEMBLY

Attorney Docket No.: DP-309923

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

On January 25, 2005, Applicant's Representative, Sam Hidle, conducted a telephone interview with Examiner Allen Flanigan.

Claim 1 and U.S. Patent No. 6,082,443 to Yamamoto were specifically discussed. Further, the Advisory Action of 01/18/2005 was also discussed. Specifically, Figures 31(a) and 31(b) of Yamamoto were discussed in context with the limitations of independent claim 1. The Examiner indicated that there were differences between the invention and Yamamoto, but that the scope of claim 1 could be reasonably interpreted to read on Figures 31(a) and 31(b) of Yamamoto. Applicant disagreed and a resolution was not reached. These discussions related to the general thrust of the principal arguments presented by the Examiner and Applicant.

The Examiner indicated that amending claim 1 to state that the partition wall is mounted directly to a inner surface of the condenser plate, as opposed to a mounted relationship, would help distinguish the invention from Yamamoto. The Examiner also

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indicated that claiming an angle of the partition wall as being something other than 90 degrees would distinguish the invention. Applicant has made these amendments in an accompanying § 116 Amendment.

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the Application is presented in condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully solicited. Although no fees are believed due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2789 for any fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

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